



**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**[Docket No. DHS-2022-0042]**

**Faith-Based Security Advisory Council**

**AGENCY:** The Office of Partnership and Engagement (OPE), The Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

**ACTION:** Notice of charter renewal with amendments.

**SUMMARY:** This notice announces the renewal of the Faith-Based Security Advisory Council (FBSAC) for an additional two years and amendment of its charter.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Michael J. Miron at HSAC@hq.dhs.gov or at 202-891-2876.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

The Faith-Based Security Advisory Council (FBSAC) charter is established under the authority of 6 U.S.C. 451. This discretionary committee is established in accordance with and operates under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), 5 U.S.C., Appendix. The FBSAC is renewed for an additional two years and its charter has been amended.

Amendments to the charter include:

- (1) The previous charter stated that there were 25 members. It is now amended to 30 members.
- (2) All FBSAC members will now serve as Representative Members, except the Member from the Department of

Justice or Federal Bureau of Investigation who is appointed as a non-voting ex officio member.

- (3) The previous charter allowed for members to be drawn from seven government offices. This has been amended to only include one non-voting ex officio member to be appointed from the Department of Justice or Federal Bureau of Investigation.

- (4) In compliance with Executive Order 14035 on Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Accessibility in the Federal Workforce (herein referenced as DEIA), the amended charter will state:

In order for DHS to fully leverage broad-ranging experience and education, the Council must be diverse with regard to professional and technical expertise. DHS is committed to pursuing opportunities, consistent with applicable law, to compose a committee that reflects the diversity of the nation's people.

In addition to the aforementioned amendments, the renewed charter contains certain technical and organizational but non-substantive changes in terms of format and wording.

For any questions regarding the amendments, please contact the individual in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section.

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